

Risen With Christ

Ephesians 2:1-10

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1.) We Were

A.) We Were Dead

_Read Verse 1; John 17:3

B.) We Were Enslaved

_Read Verse 1-3

i.) By the World

ii.) By the Devil

iii.) By your Flesh

C.) We Were Condemned

"...and were by nature children of wrath, just as the others..."

2.) But God

A.) When Did God Save Us?

"even when we were dead..."

Answer: While We Were Still Dead

B.) Why Did God Save Us?

Read verse 4

Answer: Because He Loved Us

_Read Romans 5:8; 1 John 4:10

C.) How Did God Save Us?

Answer: By Uniting Us With Christ Through Faith By Grace

"(by grace you have been saved)"

_Read verses 7-9

"He does not mean simply that they were in danger of death; but he declares that it was a real and present death under which they labored. As spiritual death is nothing else than the alienation of the soul from God, we are all born as dead men, and we live as dead men, until we are made partakers of the life of Christ."— John Calvin

Galatians 2:20, "20 I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me."

Romans 6:4, "Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father,"

Romans 4:24, "...was delivered up because of our offenses, and was raised because of our justification"

Romans 8:1, "There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus.."

Verse 6, "...made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus"

Read Ephesians 1:16-21

3.) We Are

A.) His Workmanship

Ephesians 3:9-10